

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Clemens HOFFMAN et al.

Serial No. 09/530,386

Group Art Unit: ²⁶⁸⁴~~2682~~

Confirmation No. 7374

Filed: April 27, 2000

Examiner: Nguyen, Tu X

For: METHOD, MOBILE STATION AND BASE STATION FOR CONNECTION SETUP IN A
RADIO COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

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PETITION FOR SUSPENSION OF ACTION FOR THREE MONTHS

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §§ 1.103(a)(c), this Petition for Suspension of Action is further to the Request for Continued Examination (RCE), filed July 14, 2003.

Applicants respectfully request a suspension of action be permitted in the present application, as Applicants believe additional review of the presently cited references will be beneficial to advancement of prosecution in the present application. Upon further review of the references, Applicants believe that additional amendments and/or arguments will be available for presentation in a subsequent response to more clearly distinguish the present invention over the cited references.

Since another Action has not been issued in the present application, and the RCE has only recently been filed, Applicants respectfully request approval of this request for Suspension of Action.

The petition fee of \$130.00, according to 37 CFR 1.17(h), is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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